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NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA. centrally situated in the triangular figure bounded by lines drawn from Omaha to Cheyenne thence to Denver, from thence to starting point. It is 291 miles from the first named city, 225 miles from the second, and 280 miles from the third Having a population of 4,000 people it is the head- pass the bill over the veto. The quarters of both freight and passenger divisions of matter was discussed Wednesday the U. P. R'y Co., and is the home of about 500 railway employes whose monthly pay roll amounts to some \$35,000.00. Almost 200 miles of irrigation canals are rapidly nearing completion, which will bring into the highest state of cultivation 150,000 acres of the most productive land upon which the sun's rays shine. The citizenship of North Platte is that of the best afforded by the older states, and her people are active, progressive and prosperous To the industrious, energetic home-seeker from the crowded east North Platte and Lincoln county presents unusual advantages. Thousands of acres be obtained by consulting the United States land office in North Platte. A letter of inquiry to "U. 8. Register, North Platte, Neb.," relative to the above will be courteously answered. Irrigated farming is no longer an experiment, but has reached the point where it is acknowledged as pre-eminently the safest-in all seasons-method of conducting agricultural and horticultural operations. The salubrious and life-giving climate of Lincoln county, where malaria is unknown and where pulmonary troubles are unthought of, is another incentive to the location therein of those who are anxious to enjoy the good things of this and schools are above those of eastern communities, the latter being one of the few in Nebraska permitting the graduate thereof to enter the State University without an intermediate preparatory raining. The people of the community gladly who is eager to better his condition and assisting in

For information regardng the Great I rrigation Belt of Lincoln Co., write the Lincoln Co. Immigration Association, North Platte, Nebraska.

Up to the hour of going to press there is no indication that Baker, Scharmann and Sorenson will have any opposition. This is in line with THE TRIBUNE'S suggestion a week or two ago.

THE editor of THE TRIBUNE has not reached that degree of eminence that entitles him to be a candidate for chief executive of this munici- prostitutes. pality. The gentlemen who have mentioned his name in connection of fellows.

In treating on the necessary reforms, the voluble gentleman who vrites in the Telegraph under the signature of "W." ishould not neglect to publish a homily on the sin of and the disaster which follows poker playing. This is an evil which seems to be growing in our midst.

Ir is said the county commissioners are now talking of adjourning for a few days in order to take a needed rest after having been in session for nearly three months. This long siege of work has had a telling effect on them, and were it not for the fact that they have each would be pitiful.

In city elections where politics are not recognized, THE TRIBUNE can favor any candidate for mayor who is a good business man and will make a conservative official and who will keep down the running expenses to as low a notch as possible. The debt of the city is not large as compared to many other towns of the same size, yet it is larger than it should be, and should be reduced as rapidly as possible. In this connection THE TRIBUNE believes that D. W. Baker, who is a candidate for mayor, will make a conservative official, and will hold down the council should that body show a disposition to expend more of the city warrants.

city officials as advocated by some. business of the city could be transacted in a proper manner if the it further believes that a compensation of \$5.00 per meeting for the mayor and \$2.50 for each councilman would not be out of the way. ney could be cut twenty per cent and they would still be reasonably well paid for their labor. These reductions would result in a saving heavy sum, to be sure, but it would if continued year after year, eventually pay the indebtedness of the

LEGISLATIVE LACONICS.

A bill in which many druggists of the bear had interested themselves has also been indefinitely postponed, which would if passed have given drug- rich land. gists the right to sell liquors for resources. medicinal, mechanical and like purposes without the license now

The governor's veto message on

bill has been continued from time to time in the senate. The message was received and put over for one Brutal Crime of Nebraska Catday as the special order. When the time came it was continued again until last Thursday at 11 a. m.

senate deeply engrossed in committee of the whole. Watson arose Mrs. W. E. Holton Meets an Awful that the attorney general had arrived and murmured something about the Fate In Keya Paha County. hour for the special order having been passed. Nothing further was said and it developed that the re publicans have not enough votes to

night in caucus and it was decided to make no effort to pass the bill. The governor announced that he had signed house roll No. 27, providing for fine and imprisonment of persons unlawfully wearing the firemen's national button; No. 530, authorizing county commissioners to use the surplus of precinct bond those already being brought under irrigation, may funds for the purpose of procuring seed grain, and senate file No. 15, making it the duty of district courts to appoint a competent number of bailiffs to wait on the grand jury. with an allowance of \$2 a day.

The senate amendments to house roll No. 534, the bill allowing counties to use surplus funds for relief purposes in all except sinking funds to be used within five years, were before the house for concurrence. The amendments strike out the provision allowing the use of sinking funds, and legalize actions of boards already taken in conthe upbuilding and development of a comparatively formity with the law. The house concurred in the amendments.

> Benedict's bill, house roll 348, raising the age of consent in the state of Nebraska from 15 to 18 years, was considered in the committee of the whole this morning and favorably recommended by a majority which insures its passage. The bill was amended in one important particular by Bee's substitute. Originally the measure provided for punishment of the crime with any girl under 18 years of age, imprisonment in the penitentiary for no more than twenty nor less than three years. Bee's substitute. which carried, bars from all protection of the law known

Over 1,000 bills were introduced by members of the present legislawith the office are a facetious set ture and only fifteen have been passed by both houses. Of the fifteen bills presented to Governor Holcomb only one has been vetoed.
Four bills or the bills in the senate and eight in the bouse have become laws, while one senate file and two house rolls have not yet received either his approval or disapproval. The following bills have been approved: Senate file No. 78, by Sloan-Prohibiting the manufacture of oleomargarine by coloring in semblance of butter, and regulating the sale and shipping of imitation butter. Senate file No. 9, by Watson-Extending the term of the supreme court commission for a further period of three years after expiration of the present been drawing \$3 per day the result term. Senate file No. 15, by Crane -Fixing the salary of the bailiffs in Douglas county at \$900 a year. demanding \$15,000 for the return of the House roll No. 71, by Griffith-Ap- stolen will. Mrs. Chamberlain has frepropriating \$85,000 for payment of officers, members and employes of the legislature. House roll No. 113, by Conaway-Appropriating \$50,-000 for the relief of people in the drouth-stricken districts. House roll No. 32, by Robinson; appropriat- June 6 last. ing matriculation and diploma fees for support of the university library. House roll No. 33, by Robinson-Appropriating the Morrill fund to the industrial college of the university. House roll No. 34, by home, on North Fifth avenue. It is be-Robinson -Appropriating tuition lieved that arsenic had been thrown into fees of the college of law for the the well. Cherry and his wife may die. support of said college and moneys deposited by the students money than the financial condition in the various laboratories to the use of such laboratories. House roll No. 1, by Lamborn-Authoriz-THE TRIBUNE believes every man ing the voting of county bonds for comes from Minas Prictas, Sonora, Mexshould receive a fair compensation the purpose of purchasing seed and ico, that an explosion of giant powder feed for teams. House roll No. 27, had occurred in the Verde mine there, by Brady-Punishing by fine and radical a cut on the salaries of the imprisonment those who unlawfully one fatally. The men were blown with wear the fireman's national button. terrific force against the sides of the It does believe, however, that the House roll No. 530, by Horst-Authorizing county commissioners to humanity. Their names were John to use the surplus of precinct bond Masse, John Roa, Bartola Senig and council met but once a month, and seed and feed for teams. Three Death of bills that have been sent to the governor have not yet received his attention. They are: House roll change, is dead from the effects of a No. 99, by Burns, to vest title to wound received in the civil war. He has lots 11 and 12, block 189, city of been engaged in mining in Denver ever The salaries of the clerk and attor- Lincoln, in the congregation Bnai- since the war. Jeshurem, successor to the Hebrew congregation; house roll No. 383, by Munger, to vest title to lot 11, block 125, city of Lincoln, in the

German Evangelical Lutheran congregation, and Senate file No. 29, by Caldwell, to regulate the praction at the City hospital in Argentine, Kan., a charge on the city, he being penni-

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tle Rustlers.

ASSAULTED AND HANGED.

MORE LYNCHINGS ARE LIKELY.

Will Be Arrested-Their Victim Had Given Evidence Against Them For Stealing-Fought Hard For Life.

BUTTE, Neb., March 18.-Mrs. W. E. Holton of Keya Paha county was found dead in her home last night by neighbors. She had been lynched. Her body was lying on the floor with a piece of rope, about 10 feet long, and a hatchet and a hammer beside her. The coroner was summoned and an autopsy showed that she had died of strangulation, and had also been assaulted. The woman was living alone, as her husband had been sent to an insane asylum. It is testimony against the rustlers, as she had been summoned as a witness against a gang of thieves in the county. had borne a good reputation. It was evident that she had fought a hard fight for her life and her honor, as the bedding and clothing were torn and scattered around the room.

No warrants have yet been made, but a meeting of the best citizens of the neighborhood was held yesterday, and it was decided prompt measures should be taken, and it is expected that another and possibly several hangings will take place before long.

Several Under Suspicion. Several persons are under suspicion, and these parties will be taken and compelled to confess.

The body of Mrs. Holton was interred at Oakdale cemetery at Doty, this county, yesterday.

The latest report comes that a man named Hunt is implicated in some way with the lynchers, and it is thought he can be forced to a confession. A number of the alleged rustlers were recently arrested and taken to Springview, where they broke jail and escaped to the reservation, where they were afterward recaptured and convicted.

The country where the lynching occurred is in the heart of the cattle

TRAIN WRECKERS IN IOWA.

Track Near Marcus LEMARS, March 18 .- The Illinois Central fast mail east last night struck a piles of ties placed on the track near Marcus with the evident intent of wrecking the train, which was going at a high speed. Most of the ties were knocked off the track and no injury resulted, except a damaged pilot. The offenders have not been caught.

Many passengers' lives would certainly have been lost had the train left the track, as Whisky slough bridge was only a few yards from where the obstruction was found.

Denied by Mrs. Chamberlain. WATERTOWN, S. D., March 18 .- Mrs. S. W. Chamberlain, who lives nine miles southwest of here, denies any knowledge of the blackmailing letters

sent to the Fair heirs in San Francisco, quently reported that she has fallen heir to a fortune. She now claims that the blackmailing letters were written by a former husband, who is anxious to get revenge for her desertion of him. She declares she knows nothing of the letters and has never been in California, although she bought a ticket to go there

Arsenic In the Well. WICHITA, Kan., March 18.-Henry Cherry, his wife and two sons, Raymond aged 10, and Henry, aged 3, were poisoned by drinking water from a well near a vacant house, adjoining their The children will live. Suspicion points to an Indian named Summit as the perpetrator of the crime.

Four Mexican Miners Killed. NOGALES, Ari., March 18 .- News which killed four miners and wounded mine and crushed out of all semblance

Death of a Denver Pioneer DENVER, March 18.-Captain David T. Ezekiel, president of the mining ex-

KANSAS CITY, March 18 .- Major J. B. Mantor, at one time one of Virginia's wealthiest and foremost citizens, died

There is no liner agricultural section in all the broad western country than cannot found in the vicinity of the beautiful little town of the beautiful little town of the United States to Japan; Henry A. C. Emery, a citizen of the United States, to be interpreter to the consulate of the United States at Ningpo, China; George F. Smithers, a citizen of the United States, to be interpreter to the consulate of the United States at Osaka and Hioga, Japan. Postmasters: David C. Marsh, East St. Louis, Ills.; Joseph Beard, Danville; Michael M. Huck,

Barrett Scott Case May Not Be Tried In Holt County.

BUTTE, Neb., March 18.-Attorney General Churchill in an interview with W. F. Wills, county attorney, who has just returned from Lincoln, states, that in case the legislature had succeeded in passing the "Barrett Scott bill," he would not ask for a change of venue. Wills is authority for the statement at the conclusion that when the case was called he would move to dismiss the action, and then institute new proceedings in Boyd county. The theory of the prosecution is that since the body was found on the Boyd county side of the river the supposition is that the crime was committed in Boyd county, and if the defense wants a trial in Holt county they will have to show that the murder was actually committed in that county. The case, if brought to this county, will work a great hardship to its citizens, as the expenses of the trial will have to be borne by this county, which

it is just now unable to do. TRAGEDY AT DES MOINES.

DES MOINES, March 18 .- A carpenter named E. T. Clark attempted to kill his wife and himself at their home at First and School streets. While the woman and her 10-year-old son were at supper the man, who is her second husband, came in and said he had come to bid supposed the motive of the lynching her goodby for the last time. With was to prevent the woman from giving | this he drew a razor and began slashing at her throat, cutting four deep gashes in her neck and face. She now lies in a critical condition and her recovery is doubtful. Clark then disappeared and went to a boarding house at Seventh and Mulberry streets, where he ap-peared before the landlady with a great gash in his throat and told what he had done, saying he was going to finish the job. He returned to the street and roamed about, leaving a trail of blood, and was arrested and lodged in jail. He is not dangerously hurt. Drunkenness and domestic disorder are given as the causes of the tragedy.

> New South Dakota Laws. PIERRE, S. D., March 18.-Governor Sheldon has signed all bills passed by the legislature, excepting three only. Among the bills which became laws are: Permitting mercantile agencies to do business in the state. having been practically prohibited hitherto; abolishing the grand jury system; putting all criminal cases into the county attorney's hands. Full suffragist, resubmission and divorce reform

Boulter Sentenced to Six Years. CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 18 .- The apdication for a new trial of Charles Boulter, convicted of manslaughter, was denied by Judge Scott and Boulter was their own terms. The press editorially sentenced to six years' imprisonment. Boulter is a retired cattleman who has killed three men during the past 12 years, but has heretofore escaped punishment. His case will be appealed to the state supreme court.

measures were all killed in the legisla-

Office for Ex-Senator Carey. CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 18.—Es-Senator Joseph M. Carey, who feated for re-election to the United States senate at the recent leg session, has been elected presid manager of the Wyoming Develor company. He will take the active me agement of the company, which is colonizing 60,000 acres of farming land near this city.

Phillips Starts Early. SIOUX FALLS, S. D., March 18 .- Quite a stir has been caused in political circles by the circulation of a well founded rumor that N. E. Phillips, present warden of the penitentiary, has announced himself to his friends as a candidate for governor on the Republican ticket to go before the people in 1896.

Postal Changes in Nebraska. WASHINGTON, March 18.—Postoffices have been discontinued as follows: Nebraska-Etna, Custer county; mail will go to Gothenburg. Iowa - Langfitt, Dallas county; mail will go to Panther. Henry H. Prouty was commissioned postmaster at Kimball, Neb., and Burton B. Stone at Merriman, Neb.

Damages for Injuries. NORFOLK, Neb., March 18 .- A verdict for \$4,500 was rendered in the district court in favor of the plaintiff in the case of Thomas G. Height vs. the Norfolk Beet Sugar Company. The action was brought to recover for injuries received while in the employ of the company last summer.

Sioux City Gambler in Luck. Sioux City, Ia., March 18.—Jack Kerry has gone to Ireland in response to a cablegram informing him that he had fallen heir to an estate in County Kerry and £60,000 in the bank. Kerry has been a professional gambler in Sioux City, Omaha, Denver and Deadwood for the last 10 years.

Davis Jury Still Deliberating. LINCOLN, March 18 .- The jury in the Davis murder trial has now been out 48 | sailed within one hour and a half on a hours. It is said to stand 10 for convic- guano expedition, for which clearance ion on the first count of the indictment murder in the first degree. The other counts are murder in the second degree. manslaughter and train wrecking.

Des Moines Y. W. C. A. DES MOINES, Ia., March 18.-Three hundred Des Moines women met and formed a local branch of the Young Women's Christian association and pledged \$1,400.

Wreckage From Reins Regente. MADRID, March 18 .- A quantity of fresh wreckage, supposed to be from the missing Reina Regente, has come ashore at Tarifa. All the searches for the vessel have been fruitless.

Taylor Did Not Reach Tampa Yesterday. TAMPA, Fla., March 18 .- Taylor, the bsconding South Dakota treasurer, whom it was said would arrive here last night, has not arrived.

Oakland Water Front Case Dismissed. WASHINGTON, March 18 .- Chief Justice Fuller delivered an opinion dismissing the bill in equity, brought by the state of California vs. the Southern Paeific Railroad company, involving the has been recalled. It is reported that ownership of the Oakland water front he will be succeeded by Count Herbert for want of original jurisdiction.

Sagasta Forced to Quit. WASHINGTON, March 18.—The following dispatch was this afternoon received

AMERICAN SHIP SUNK.

Unconfirmed Report of Another Outrage by a Spanish Warship.

STARTLING NEWS FROM CUBA

Rumor That the Cruiser Arcedo Fired Into and Sent to the Bottom a Small Schooner-Crew of Sixteen Said to Have Perished.

New York, March 18 .- A special from Tampa, Fla., says: The latest report is that the Spanish warship Arcedo fired into and sank an American steamer off Puerto del Padre. It is reported that a crew numbering 16 persons perished with it. It is not known whether the schooner had arms or carried an expedition for Cubans. It was reported in Havana that the schooner had sailed from Key West. Inquiries, however, fail to show that any boat is missing or unreported, except those engaged in le-gitimate trade. Many sailed recently

for West Indian ports with cargoes. Puerto del Padre is a harbor on the northeast coast of Cuba. It has a long and narrow entrance and affords excellent anchorage. It is not far from the place where the Spanish gunboat fired on the Allianca. The Spanish cruiser Infanta Isabella, Captain Duenas, has sailed for Havana. It is believed she has withdrawn on account of the Allianca affair.

Inclined to Discredit It. WASHINGTON, March 18.-The state

department has had no information from official sources touching the report that the Spanish cruiser Arcedo fired on and sank a small American schooner off the Cuban coast, and the report finds little credence here. The naval register shows that the Arcedo is a small schooner-rigged iron gunboat built in Spain in 1883, and of about 9 knots speed. It is not known whether or not she is in Cuban waters. Other sources of information than the state department are likewise without any information on the matter, and are inclined to discredit it.

KEY WEST, Fla., March 18 .- The chief topic among the passengers by the steamer which just arrived from Havana was the unsatisfactory outcome of the interview had by the commissioners sent by the government to treat with the rebel leaders in arms in the eastern provinces. What inducements were offered by the commission for the cessation of hostilities or what guarantees were promised are not known, but all propositions were rejected by the insurgents. They said they held the situation and were in a position to dictate deprecates the result of the conference. and asserts that it has done more harm than good.

ITALIAN INCIDENT CLOSED. Appears to Have Strengthened the Friend-

WASHINGTON, March 18 .- The Italia ent, one of three international con it involves the relations of the United States and Italy, and instead of leaving intiation and ill feeling the affair anars to have resulted in further tween the countries. Ambassador Fava takes this view of the incident and expresses his appreciation of the prompt-ness and energy with which the federal authorities and those of Colorado sought to secure for Italians the same protection and redress as that given American citizens during the mob law lessons at Walsenburg. On the other hand it is a source of comment and congratulation at the state department that at a time when foreign enlightenments were pressing from all quarters, Baron Fava made no protest beyond presenting the facts as telegraphed by the Italian consul at Denver, and at the same time reassured the Italian government that the authorities here were doing everything in their power. And it is not doubted that Governor McIntyre will be fully able to deal with the question from new on without further communication with Washing-

Received No Answer. WASHINGTON, March 18.—Secretary Gresham was closeted all morning with state department officials and other persons concerning diplomatic happenings since his illness. In answer to inquiries on the Allianca affair, Mr. Landis, his private secretary, said that Secretary Gresham authorized a formal denial to be made of reports that he had received from Minister Taylor any answer to the secretary's notes demanding an explanation or apology from Spain.

Steamer Wahlberg Released. SAN DIEGO, March 18.-The steamer Wahlberg, alleged to have been engaged in carrying arms to the royalists in the Hawaiian islands, was again released by the customs officials at midnight, and sapers were taken out some days ago The efforts of Hawaiian Consul Wood to secure her detention until the arrival of papers showing the real nature of her secret trip to the islands have been met with unusual discouragement.

Window Glass Trust, PITTSBURG, March 18 .- A meeting of window glass manufacturers will be held here Wednesday to further consider the combination, or trust, projects proposed at a meeting of the manufacturers of the country in Columbus last Monday. It is stated that the committee has agreed upon a plan of organization. and will recommend its acceptance to the meeting this week. The consolidation of all the factories in the country under one management is said to be considered impracticable, but by the plan agreed upon by the manufacturers' committee. a trust will be virtually formed, if the manufacturers adopt the scheme pro-

General Von Werder Recalled, BERLIN, March 13.-General von Werder, German ambassador to Russia. Bismarck. General von Werder, according to a dispatch from Berlin on Jan. 2, was reported to have been absent from the gathering of German of-ficers at the Berlin arsenal on Jan. 1, from Minister Taylor at Madrid: "Gov-ernment has resigned. Campos ap-were addressed by Emperor William, pointed captain general of Madrid. New and it was stated that the general had government probable, under Canovas." tendered his resignation to the emperor.